Scraps and facts.

- When the Emperor of China travels in public, it is said that one hundred men. dressed just like him, travel with him, so that his identity can not be discovered. - The census shows that there are only 50,-

000 idiots in the United States; but twice that number are reported by Blaine to be applicants for office at Washington.

- A Maine man of wealth left his estate so conditioned that his heirs will lose six months of income for every breach of a total absti-

- The Kentucky Board of Agriculture reports that there has been no such shortage in crops in that State since 1854. Not more than half an average yield of wheat will be

- There is an immense grape vine at Cajon, Cal. which has enveloped two sturdy oak trees with its branches. It is bearing five tons of grapes, and the weight has crushed to THURSDAY MORNING, AUG. 25, 1881. the ground one of the trees.

-The Rev. George W. Williams, a member of the Ohio Legislature, is a negro. A year ago he was suing a Columbus hotel for refusing to board him on account of his color. Now a Columbus hotel keeper is suing Williams for failing to pay a board bill.

- Ireland, in spite of all her troubles, will have, if the reports are true, an excellent harvest this year. An unusually large area of the island is under cultivation, and the outlook has not been so favorable for good crops since 1872.

- Senator Lamar, of Mississippi, is still suffering from illness and has been forbidden by his physicians from participating in the approaching canvass in that State. He will be a candidate for reëlection to the United States Senate, by the Legislature to be chosen in November.

- David Carroll, a wealthy Maryland cotton manufacturer, who died recently, left in his will a provision that \$100,000 should be set apart to defray any expenses that might be incurred in defending the will against possible litigation. He gave as his reason that he had "often beheld with disgust the efforts of children to break their parents' wills."

- People with abundance of leisure are already beginning to estimate the probable ag- the President had vomited, and that no more gregate of the physician's charges in the President's case. One gentleman brings the bill at \$70,800, allowing \$100 a day to each of the four attending physicians, and \$32,000 and \$22,000 to Drs. Agnew and Hamilton, respectively, for consultations, visits, operations, &c.

- Elections occur this fall in New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Mississippi. The only State officer elected in Pennsylvania et is elected except Governor and Lieutenant Governor, together with members of the Legislature and four Congressmen. Full State tickets and legislators are to be elected in Virginia, Mississippi and Ohio.

- Virginia, which paid no attention to coton a considerable scale, and with pronounced success. Cotton plantations now exist in all of the Southern counties of the State, and thousands of bales were produced last year. cotton-growing general throughout the State. ually and complains of the phlegm choking

- The weather was so warm in Dover, New Hampshire, on Friday last, that two tin pans lying in the sun at the residence of Mr. Hen- parotid gland swelling defies the combined blaze, and in a few moments the fire would have been beyond control. A hole in the was burned.

- The New York anti-adulteration law goes anxiety to night is more apparent than last into effect September 1, and arrangements are night, when the symptoms in the President's being made to see that its provisions are carried out. The law is very broad and makes the sale of oleomargarine for butter, of glu. adds: cose for sugar, chicory for coffee, etc., an offense punishable by fine and imprisonment. and enter a complaint, and the person guilty fied by the contents of the bulletin itself. of adulterating food is at once brought to

August is as follows: "Eighteenth, hail-storms and the omission of all mention of the paro- York, 4; Williamsburg, 1; from other States, and frosts probably in some portions; 19th and tid gland had an evil look. "It was just 5. Total 302. Of the 33 counties in the 20th, heat and storms; 21st, sultry and showery; 22d, sultry and windy; 23d and 24th, heat and wind; 25th and 26th, heavy storms on the lakes, on the St. Lawrence, and around New York; 27th, 29th, cooler weather, with rains and frosts in the Northern section; 30th and 31st, fair and pleasant weather, with cool evenings and nights, with indications of returning heat.

- Neal Dow complains that the churches are not in earnest in the cause of total abstinence, and to their indifference he attributes the slow progress made in the work of exterminating the liquor traffic. "Whenever," he says, "a popular vote comes directly upon the question of license or prohibition to grog shops, a large number of church members are found upon the side of license. In many of our States there is an annual vote in the cities and towns upon the question of 'license' or 'no license,' and wherever and whenever the 'license' ticket wins, it is by the helping vote of church members."

- The Hour, a weekly paper published in New York, makes the positive announcement that the Hon. Samuel J. Tilden is in the field as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for President in 1884. The Hour says that "with the shrewdness" and foresight for which he is remarkable, he has carefully surveyed the field and has reached the conclusion that the time has come for the redress of the great wrong which he believes was done to himself, to his party and to the country, by the reversal of the popular verdict and the inauguration of a fraudulent

President in 1876." - Col. Corbin, master of ceremonies at the Yorktown Centennial, has issued a circular regarding the arrangements for the celebration which is to take place October 18, 19, 20 and 21. Present advices promise a military representation from every State in the Union. authentic, we can only append our latest remaining link, twenty-seven miles, which August, 1880, the condition was 98, which, More than 10,000 troops have already signified their intention of being present, and it is believed the militia to take part in the celebration will exceed 20,000. Many States will send full regiments. The Governors of most of the States will also attend, accompanied by their staffs. For the reception and proper comfort of the latter a building

- The New York Herald, Conkling organ, is apparently doing its best to allay public anxiety about Arthur's course if he becomes President. It prints interviews with Vanderbilt, Jay Gould, Judge Hilton and Depew, all avowing their confidence in Arthur and absence of any fears about his financial or as the additional force can be secured, will be 11th. It seems that some children were playgeneral policy. The Herald is supposed to running both day and night. speak by authority when it says: "He will make no change in the administration; will for cause; will attempt no change in the policy or in the personnel of the present administration; for to do or attempt to do any of these things, would be to invite ruin upon.

If the most important roads now projected ment of the atmost necessary accompanism of the ment of the other. If it were not for the homestead law, there would not be so much homestead law, make no removals from office at large except

play at the coming Yorktown celebration. He says most of the \$20,000 appropriated by He says most of the \$20,000 appropriated by Congress will have to be devoted to the entertainment of the expected visitors from abroad, and that all it will be possible for the two possible for to bring Company F of the Third Artillery porate limits of the town. from California, because it is an exact coun- Batesville cotton factory, in Greenville which he passes. He is a live man with ex- chief engineer of the Midland company, and them more dependent.-Anderson Intelligencer. rests in Heaven."

original celebration. This is about all that the department can possibly do, besides sending down the twelve hundred tents. Of course the department will aid to the utmost any volunteer organizations that may attend,

The Morkville Enquirer.



YORKVILLE, S. C .:

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THE PRESIDENT'S CONDITION. Although the attending surgeons' "official bulletins" would seem to be intended to con vey the impression that the White House sufferer is doing well, and getting along as well as could be expected, correspondents and reporters for the press convey, by their letters and dispatches, altogether different ideas. The Washington correspondent of the News and Courier telegraphed that Monday night, use could be made of his stomach at present While the greatest uneasiness prevailed in Washington over this fact, the same correspondent informs us that the doctors explain that the vomiting is not from gastric disturbance, but from constant accumulation of phlegm in the throat. The phlegm arises from the glandular swelling in the neck. But is Treasurer. In New York a full State tick- "it makes very little difference, so far as the patient is concerned, whether he is debarred from food by reason of phlegm or gastric disturbance. The fact remains that he cannot take any more food in the natural way until the cause is removed. It is said that the Presi ton culture until recently, is now turning to it | dent is constantly choking and | has the hacking cough which characterizes the last stages of consumption. The glandular inflammation has stiffened the muscles of the neck to It has been found that the cultivation of to- such a degree that the patient cannot open bacco has been growing unprofitable, besides his mouth more than half an inch, and has exhausting the soil, and this is likely to make something like lockjaw. He coughs contin-

ry Goulding, concentrated the sun's rays to efforts of the doctors. These are the cold such an extent as to set fire to the house. facts which must be borne in mind by the When discovered, the clapboards were in a country in summing up the case." The above gloomy prospect is supplemented wall of the house several inches in diameter by the following from the same correspondent, at 10 o'clock, P. M., Monday: "The general

him. . He cannot talk above a whisper. The

case were much worse. The correspondent "The showing of the evening bulletin was sufficient to raise renewed alarm in the pub-It is only necessary to go before a magistrate lic mind, an alarm which was scarcely justi The tone of the doctors was really cheerful. There were the figures, however, which show-- Vennor's forecast for the latter part of ed a higher pulse and temperature than usual, what everybody wanted to know about," was State, those not represented are, Clarendon, the general remark as people turned away from the bulletins. "It is the vital point," said one. "The question is, has the gland suppurated ?" said another. Thus went speculation and anxious inquiry from mouth to

> "From interviews with the physicians pub lished in the afternoon papers, the public had probable suppuration of the parotid inflam- to kill his wife, went and hanged himself. mation. It was admitted by them this afternoon that the condition of the patient's stomach being fair, the principal cause of uneasiness lay with the inflammatory symptoms in the neck. If they could not succeed in get- Hudson in a row-boat. ting this anticipated suppuration postponed until the patient could be rebuilt somewhat from the stomach, the operation which would attended with no evil results. If suppuration should occur now, while the patient is run by Newton as soon as practicable. still excessively weak with his last relapse, it was feared that he might possibly die with

exhaustion. "All this the public of Washington had been brought to understand before the issuance of the evening bulletin, and had looked forward to that official report with much anxiety. When it appeared with no word on the subject, the disappointment was great. The rumors soon gained circulation that the operation, but this could not be confirmed at the White House."

The dispatch closes: "With the exception of an improved condition of the stomach, the placer gold mine in Montgomery county, indicate a fair crop with a large increase in President closes the day a trifle worse, if any- which has been and still is being operated acreage. thing, than yesterday."

To the above, which may be regarded as intelligence in the form of an "official bul- joins the Western North Carolina Railroad however, was exceptionally high. The Atletin," dated Tuesday, 8.30 A. M.:

vals. He has taken, since last evening, a larta is continued at longer intervals. The par- done on it. otid swelling is unchanged. Pulse, 100; res-

piration, 18; temperature, 98 3-10." SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS.

months ago, has been rebuilt and will be in engine. The day is not far distant when the manent location of the route. They expect running order again by the first of September. Cape Fear & Y. V. R. R., the N. C. Midland to return here next week. From Mr. Cain - A few days ago the Coosawhatchie and the Virginia Midland united, will give line surveyed by him was just this side Swamp, in Hampton county, was reported to North Carolina the relief she needs." but it cannot do much because of the lack of be drying up so rapidly that quantities of fish - The cotton mill campaign in North Caro- feet. At Asheboro the elevation is 860 feet. were being devoured by buzzards.

> Georgia, between Lula and Clarksville. daughter of ex-Governor Franklin J. Moses, Charlotte mill has arrived. Concord is

of Charleston, on the 3d instant. the earth.

fish from Georgia.

- W. J. Kelly, charged with resisting, shooting at and wounding the United States Revenue Officer Gary, was found guilty, Friday, in the United States Court at Greenville, and recommended to the mercy of the Court. His trial lasted several days and the jury was out with his case for thirty hours. - A company has been formed in Charleston, of which Colonel John S. Fairly is President, for the establishment of a cotton seed oil mill. All the stock has been taken, the buildings will be erected at once, and it is expected that the mill will be operation early

- Mr. E. F. Stokes, counsel for the Green ville incendiaries sentenced to be hanged on September 9, has filed the necessary papers for an appeal with the clerk of the Supreme Court. This would operate to stay the execution, but Mr. Stokes will probably obtain n order restraining the sheriff from execuing the sentence of the Court from one of the ustices. The Supreme Court will not meet until November, and even if the new trial asked for is not granted, the prisoners will have to be re-sentenced. They will, therefore, it is thought, not be hanged before December at the earliest. - In the forenoon of Saturday last, at Black-

tocks, a negro named Charles Nicholson was

instantly killed while attempting to board a northward bound construction train on the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Railroad. He had been standing on the passenger platform and endeavored to stop the train by waving his coat as a signal to stop or slacken the speed. No notice was apparently taken of his signal, as the train did not carry passengers. He then attempted to board the car next to the last one attached to the train, by asping the hand-rail on the platform, but was knocked down, and fell under the wheels of the last car. The body was horribly mangled; the legs and arms broken, his right ear cut off, and gashes about the head and face. - The News says that the official roll of the pupils of the Normal Institute, now in session Greenville, shows the number in attendance from the different counties of the State, as follows: Abbeville, 18; Anderson, 9; Aiken, 2; Barnwell, 10; Beaufort, 1; Colleton, 1; Chester, 8; Charleston, 11; Chesterfield, 1; Darlington, 4; Edgefield, 3; Fairfield, Greenville, 109; Hampton, 1; Horry, 2; Kershaw, 2; Laurens, 10; Lexington, 9; Marion, 6; Newberry, 15; Oconee, 1; Orangeburg, 6; Pickens, 3; Richland, 18; Spartanburg, 11; Sumter, 13; Union, 13;

Georgetown, Lancaster and Marlboro. NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

- Haywood, Transylvania, Clay and Yancey counties, are the only ones in the State that gave majorities for prohibition.

- On the 5th instant, William Brooks, of

- C. M. Cresswell, of Mebaneville, a student at the Eastman College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., at a quarter of a million, the majority of was drowned last Friday while crossing the

— At a meeting of the directors of the Wes. just paid \$32,000 for a farm in Oglethorpe half the water mills in this section of the tern North Carolina Railroad, held at Salis- county. have to be performed might be successful and bury last week, the president was directed to complete the alteration of the road so as to

- Says the Gastonia Gazette of last Saturday : "Mr. J. Rankin Falls hitched one of his fine mules near the hotel, on Tuesday, among some stumps and snags, when it laid down upon a snag which pierced the bowels some thirteen or fourteen inches, resulting in the death of the mule several hours afterwards."

creased to such an extent as to justify an President Garfield is, and has been for several

actively and successfully. to the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia what better than the general average, except "The President slept the greater part of Railroad at Paint Rock, thus making a in South Carolina, where excessive drought last night, but was awake at frequent inter- through route through the mountains from has cut the figures to 41. Louisiana and Salisbury to the West. This link must be Texas are next lowest of the Coast States at the corresponding hours of any day during completed by November 1st, or the present constitution of the coast of the co

school teacher of Gaston county, says the the lowest is 74 in Kansas." Gazette, "met with an accident on Friday, the The Midland N. C. Railroad. - The cotton factory at Rock Hill, as soon 5th, which ended his life on Thursday the ing around his residence near Lowell, when - The Baptists of Due West and vicinity one of them accidentally ran against his

terpart of a company that took part in the county, which was destroyed by fire a few perience, ability and the energy of a steam finish up the estimates preparatory to a per-

- About thirty negroes left Anderson coun- Star: "A company of capitalists have puron his place near Glenn Springs, Spartanburg son is rebuilding his burnt factory. The log and several hickory nuts embedded in mill at Haw river. In Alamance county the - Mr. W. P. Calhoun, of Fair Play, Oconee Shops, a cotton mill is being built by Mr. county, writes to the Agricultural Depart. Peter Holt. In Randolph county, the Ranment, that many persons in his county are dleman Mill has 8,500 spindles and 500 The Wheat Supply and its Price. building carp ponds, and that the only thing looms. The same company, being so much factory with 10,000 spindles.

MERE-MENTION.

A genuine Yankee is selling exemptions from draft for the next war to the negroes of Coosa county, Alabama. The Sunday law is worked so practically in Waxahachie, Texas, that they indicted an undertaker who sold a coffin on Sunday, and he is to be tried for the offense. The Georgia Senate has defeated the bill "to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in the State." A machine operated by four clerks, which telegraphs twelve hundred words per minute, is to be a feature of the electrical exhibition at Paris. A dispatch from the Rosebud Agency states that Spotted Tail was killed for seducing another Indian's squaw, and they say that this was his one hundred and fiftieth offense. An Atlanta man is organizing Mutual Relief Association, which will pay each of its members \$2,000 upon their marrying. It is a general assessment af fair. Charles Stewart, a negro, killed his wife with a hatchet at Bay St. Louis Miss., and was taken from jail and lynched His father in-law prayed for him and then helped to hang him. Dr. Bliss seems to entertain the idea that the President can be cured if a copious flow of bulletins can be maintained. The famous battle-field farm Chancellorsville will be sold at auction next week......Cadet Whitaker's ears have cost the government about twenty times as much as an entire negro used to cost before the war. According to the August estimates of the Agricultural Department, there a serious decrease in the Indian corn crop. The Department estimates that the yield will fall 372,720,000 bushels below that of 1880 which would give a crop of 1,164,780,-000 bushels, against 1,537,500,000 last small amount of sickness in the Southern Atno more land is cultivated than then. The cape from his cell by overpowering one of in making biscuits and crusts, with sucyune. The crop prospects in India are

EDITORIAL INKLINGS.

Wheat and Corn Crops.

- The following reports with regard to the condition of the wheat and corn crops, up to the 1st of August, were issued by the Department of Agriculture at Washington, on the 16th instant:

spring wheat as eighty-one against eighty- that we have made the experiment in Chareight last year, and eighty-one in 1879 at the lotte. You can say to your readers that the - The Charlotte Observer says: "It may not same time. Compared with the crop of last Charlotte Steam Cotton Mill is a success." gland had been operated upon, or had in- be known generally, but it is a fact, that year, there is reported a heavy decrease in the in Minnesota, Nebraska and California, while years, a North Carolina real estate owner. in Wisconsin and all the New England States He is largely interested in the Beaver Dam | there is an increase. Reports from Dakota

"The general average condition of corn on August 1st is 77, a very considerable decline - Two thousand hands are at work on the since last month, when it stood at 90. In at the corresponding hours of any day during the past week. The use of nutritive enemators are in continued at larger intervals. The use of nutritive enemators for feit the road and all they have rior States, its average falling to 64. In the great corn-growing region the highest reports -Mr. Larkin V. Gaston, a well known are 95 in Wisconsin and 92 in Nebraska, and

are taking steps toward the erection of a house stomach and broke a cord, which ended his C. Railroad from Asheville to Salisbury, is one since the war, but so has the homestead, and life as above stated. Mr. Gaston was pre- of the most important roads now projected the one is the almost necessary accompani- the 2d instant. He will be kindly remem- night following, with an addition of nine of these things, would be to invite ruin upon his own head. We believe that he will at Calhoun's, eight at Rocky Creek, fifteen at his base and is now General Manager of the leading to the expectation that he is in earn- give him a basis of credit. As it is now, no copy the following tribute to his memory: quietly take up the reins as they fall from General Garfield's hands."

— A writer in the Keowee Courier says the common rag weed, carefully cured and fed, not think the army will make much of a display at the coming Yorktown celebration. He says most of the \$20,000 appropriated by

— Collaborated School of the says most of the \$20,000 appropriated by

— Good Hope and seven at Antioch.

— A writer in the Keowee Courier says the dent. Maj. Yates is now in charge of the owns more thousand dollars worth of personal property, so that to those worth of personal property, so that to those worth of personal property, so that to those worth of personal property, which is being called a division of the Midland. It is proposed to extend the line of the common rag weed, carefully cured and fed, and will accomplish what he promises, in charge of the eat and will accomplish what he promises, in the same of the entire line within the army will make much of a display the coming Yorktown celebration.

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we learned that the highest point on the of Asheboro, being an elevation of 880 lina is thus summed up by the Wilmington just twice the elevation at this place, and 125 feet higher than the highest point on the line on Hickory Mountain run by Col. Garduer. ty, on Monday of last week, to work on the chased a site on the Yadkin river, near Idol's At the Uwharrie River (between Asheboro extension of the North-eastern Railroad in Ferry, on or near the N. C. Midland Railroad and Salisbury) there is a very great descent, (that is to be) and will begin soon to erect a and some difficulty was experienced in ob-- The late C. C. Bowen's widow, who is a cotton factory. The new machinery for the taining a suitable line. The elevation at that point was 200 feet less than at the point where the North Carolina road crosswas married to Postmaster William N. Taft, having a large factory erected. A new es the Yadkin River, and vet the Uwharmill is in course of erection in Randolph rie empties into the Yadkin. Mr. Cain's - Mr. J. W. Stribbling was digging a well county, or has just been completed. Swep. line crosses Deep River nearly a mile above Cedar Falls, and runs with the river nearly to Columbia factory, thence direct to Marcounty, last week, and found a piece of pine | Holts are enlarging their already extensive | ley's mill. From Asheboro to Cedar Falls (a distance of about five miles) the country the clay eighteen feet beneath the surface of factories are running on full time and have is exceedingly rugged and hilly, but notwith more orders than they can fill. At Company standing this a very good line was run. At no point on the entire line from Goldsboro to Salisbury does the grade exceed seventy feet to the mile.

-- The New York Financial Chronicle lacking to make them happy is the carp. encouraged with what they have done already, says, a speculation in wheat, looking to an J. A. Some of them have received a few of these have purchased another site and will erect a advance in prices, has been prosecuted with considerable vigor, especially at the West, J. A. though finding some support in this market, and apparently having an important effect upon values in London. This is certainly to be deplored. It adds to the risk and burdens of commission merchants and bankersthe parties who "haudle" the crop. It hinders the regular operations of millers, by giving an uncertain basis of values on which to make contracts for their products. It delays the movement of the crop when the facilities for moving it are at their best-giving light stocks at the seaboard at the close of inland navigation. These circumstances make a speculation for higher prices at the opening of a season quite unfortunate, to say the least.

Whatever may be the range of values later n the crop year, it would appear that Great Britain, while contemplating her own improved crop prospects, has given too little heed to keeping up her stocks and too little allowance for a possible decrease in the American yield this year, and that consequently she has exposed herself to a speculation on her present needs which may force prices up higher, and as we have pointed out in the opening paragraph, disarrange the whole season's business. The price now is about 25 cents a bushel higher than one year ago, and much above the average of August in recent seasons, and this fact ought to suggest prudence to speculators for a rise.

Steam vs. Water Power. -- Mr. D. W. Oates, of the Charlotte Cotton Mills, furnishes to the Observer his experience with steam as a motive power for cotton machinery, and institutes a comparison between steam and water power as

"I can give you our actual production as tory to the large and critical audience. compared with that of one of the most successful water mills in the South-that of the year. Arkansas, Pennsylvania, Ohio Messrs. Holt of Alamance. I give the figand Illinois have each more coal than Eng- ures of this mill particularly, because it works land. There has been a remarkably the same spindle as we do-Sawyer's high had since the 27th of April. From what we

"We are now running 6,240 high speed lantic cities this summer, and generally the Sawyer spindles 12 hours every day, except heat has been less oppressive than in the Saturday, when we run only 9 hours. This Northern cities. The cotton crop of Mis. is an average of 111 hours a day-one hour sissippi is double what it was in 1860, though and a half per day more than the Northern mills, while our operatives cost us no more than theirs. This gives us 14 per cent. adincrease is attributable to the dividing up of vantage of them per week in time, and we the plantations, and the better system of cul- have no reason to doubt that the advantage tivation. Guiteau recently tried to es. is equally great in production. Our production is 12,300 pounds of No. 20 warp cotton per week, or 311 ounces per spindle. the guards. Whereupon the Richmond State We have had no experience with spinreminds Guiteau that his safest place is in ning by water power, but our friends who jail just now. Memphis cooks have tried have and who are operating similar macotton seed oil as a substitute for lard chinery on the same kind of yarn, give their production at 28 ounces per spindle.

refer to the Messrs. Holt, as I have said, and cess. It is expected that there will be every body knows the success with which thirty-thousand troops at the Yorktown cen- they have met in cotton manufacturing. This tennial celebration. One thousand and is a difference of a little over 11 per cent., and twenty-eight emigrants arrived at Castle is equivalent to 1,350 pounds per week with Garden, New York, on Tuesday of last this 1,350 pounds represents an absolute cash week. There are four hundred men in gain of \$40 per week on 6,240 spindles when New York worth \$3,000,000 each, and over worked by steam. This gain is, we think 500,000 men who are not worth a pica- enough to cover the excess of the expenses of steam; but besides that one of our biggest advantages over the water mills is our been led to believe that a crisis was appre-hended by the surgeons with regard to the Cleveland county, after failing in an attempt gloomy, a drought having prevailed there. gest advantages over the water milis is our A famine is feared. The number of being right in the inside of a live cotton opium eaters in the United States is estimated | market, with our experience in handling the staple, we are able to take advantage of the fluctuations of the market in buying. The whom are women. A Georgia negro, who many other advantages of being in town it is is represented as a "staunch Democrat," has unnecessary to state. But again, I suppose

> summer from the failure of the water. We the duties of a teacher, and as one of the ful operation. In this connection I may note are not subject to serious interruption in our work from any cause whatever." "When you consider all these things, then

"No, we are not prepared to say that, as we know nothing of water mills by experience. But we are entirely well satisfied that steam cotton mills will pay handsomely in "Returns of August 1 give the condition of the South; and furthermore, we do not regret

THE LIEN LAW.

we have on several occasions voted against

the repeal of the lien law, and now see no reason why the system should be changed. It ed 148 pounds of lint. is certainly a misfortune, in a material point of view, for a man to give a lien, but it is no greater misfortune than to buy on credit. The lien law is nothing more or less than a the man of small means. If it should be repealed, the system of mortgages upon the crops would be substituted, and instead of costing fifteen cents, would cost several dollars, to be paid by the man obtaining the credit, and then, if it should become necessary to enforce the mortgage, the cost of foreclosure would be very much greater than the costs for enforcing the lien, as at present provided. The Supreme Court of this State has decided in the case of Moore vs. Byrum, that at Comcrop, even before it is planted, and where it - The proposed railroad, to connect is to be grown upon the lands of another; so Goldsboro and Salisbury by a line running that by abolishing the lien law this course south of the N. C. Central, and which is dewould be more expensive and more injurious signed to be a continuation of the Western N. as a system. The lien law has grown up

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. John M. Jackson, A. F. Lindsay and J. B. Allison, County Commissioners—Township Election.

McLean, Judge of Probate-Citation-W. M. Matthews, Applicant-A. J. Matthews, deceased.
Sarah J. Ashe, Executrix-Valuable Land for

John R. Riley, Chairman of Faculty, Walhalla, S. U.—Adger College.

Jos. F. Wallace, Clerk—Notice to the Creditors of Mrs. E. H. McConnell, deceased, and John B. McConnell, deceased, to present their

Allen B. Crosby, Administrator—Choses in Ac-Latta Brothers-Bagging and Ties-Red Rust Proof Oats—XXX Flour—New Orleans Molasses—Hardware—Soaps—Forest King Cigar—Tobacco—Oat Meal—In Addition to

the Above. obson and Parish—Groceries. M. Adams—Look Out.
M. Dobson—News Column for the New

York House—Important Information at the Emporium of Fashion. Hunter, Oates & Co.-Important Information Clark Brothers—Bagging and Ties.
John C. Kuykendal—Locals,
Herndon Brothers—Rubber Belting—Bacon
Lard—Bagging and Ties—Leather.

Withers Adickes—Dried Apples, Etc. Dr. John May, Agent—The Corner Drug Store. Latimer & Hemphill—New Goods, New Goods, W. P. Good, Plaintiffs' Attorney—Notice to De-

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D. Childs, Applicant-Richard A. Springs, SEND US THE NEWS.

We respectfully request our friends in every section of the county, to send us a statement of Rev. R. P. Johnson, Rector. Services at the any local news that may transpire in their respective localities, such as accidents, fires, mariages, deaths, and also the condition of the crops, the state of the weather, &c. Such communications should be restricted to giving an outline of he facts, and will be written out in the office for publication. Such articles should always be accompanied by the proper name of the writer, not, however, for publication, but as evidence of good would give this matter their attention, they would confer upon us a favor, while it would render the ENQUIRER more interesting to the readers generally throughout the county.

PROHIBITION PETITIONS.

We have received from Rev. Samuel Lan ler, a number of headings of petitions to the egislature for a prohibitory liquor law, and wish to circulate petitions for signatures.

S. C. MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. We have received a copy of the Transacons of the South Carolina Medical Association, at the 31st annual session held in Newberry, from the 19th to the 21st of April last. The next annual meeting of the Association will be held in Spartanburg on the fourth Tuesday in April, 1882.

THE CONCERT. The concert last Friday night, in aid of fund for repairing the Episcopal church, was quite a success. The programme-a lengthy one-included a number of difficult vocal and instrumental selections, all of which were rendered in a degree of perfection highly commendable to the performers and satisfac-

RAIN. A very good rain fell here last Thursday night, which was the heaviest rain we have learn, the rain was general in the county, though lighter in some sections than others. While too late to be of much benefit to either corn or cotton, it afforded in various localities

a suitable season for the sowing of turnips. CROPS IN THE COUNTY. In answer to our circular sent out last week, making inquiry as to the condition of the crops of York county, we have already received a large number of replies, which, with those yet to be received, we will publish in full next week, preferring that the reports from all sec-

tions of the county shall appear together in FIRE IN THE COUNTRY. We learn that on Tuesday night of last veek, the house of Mr. J. L. Parker, in Broad River township, was destroyed by fire. When the fire originated, the family were all absent from home, attending church at Zion, in the neighborhood. With the exception of a small quantity of bedding, none of the contents of the house were saved. The fire is

supposed to have been accidental. ADGER COLLEGE.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the above school, located at Walhalla. Among the members of the faculty is Mr. W. S. Moore, a native of York county, and a graduate of Davidson College. Besides grad-State have not nearly made full time this uating with honor, he is specially adapted for corps of instructors will contribute to the a spelling match that came off here yesteralready fine reputation the school has earned day—the citizens against the pupils of the you think that steam is even better than wa- in the past.

THE FIRST BALE.

The first bale of the present season brought to this market, was sold on Saturday evening last by Mr. S. A. McElwee to Capt. J. R. Gardner, agent for J. M. Ivy & Co. The Millan. It is not only composed of young hale weighed 508 pounds and classed as strict men of high tone and moral character, but bale weighed 508 pounds and classed as strict middling. The price paid was 14 cents. they know how to "toot;" and in the present The bale was shipped to J. I. Middleton & condition of affairs we are disposed to reverse Co., Baltimore. Mr. McElwee informs us the declaration of Gen. D. H. Hill during As a member of the General Assembly, that of the cotton that made up this bale, he the late war, and say, "tooters before shootweighed 460 pounds in the seed, which yield ers."

THE JENKINS' MEMORIAL.

short and cheap method of giving credit to ory of Gen. Micah Jenkins has been ordered, beautiful residences and store-rooms have been and will be completed at an early day. The Association of Citadel Graduates, with the Carolina Military Institute, the King's Moun- Prof. J. D. McMillan, of Columbia, they are tain Military School at Yorkville, the Char- progressing rapidly. leston military companies, and other comrades and friends, have contributed sufficient to defray the cost of the memorial column. encouragement he deserves. A few days ago The only additional expense will be for prop- the pupils of the academy challenged the erly enclosing the lot at Magnolia, where citizens of Clover to a spelling contest. The mon Law a man has the right to mortgage a Gen. Jenkins is buried, and where the memorial column will be erected."

> DEATH OF A FORMER CITIZEN. Mr. Joseph A Baker, who for a number of years previous to 1855 was a resident of Yorkville, died in Iredell county, N. C., on The meeting continued until the Sunday

GIVE THE POST OFFICE. We have been requested by the mail agent on the Chester and Lenoir Railroad, to call the attention of those corresponding with persons at All Healing Springs and Cleveland Mineral Springs, that there are no postoffices by these names, and that letters bearing the superscription of either place cannot be promptly delivered, but by orders of the department are forwarded to the headquarters of his division-Atlanta. The post-office of All Healing Springs is King's Mountain, N. C., and that of Cleveland Springs is Shelby, N. C. Add the post-office when writing to persons at either of these springs, and there

of your letters. CHURCH NOTICES. Services will be held in the churches next

can be no excuse for delay in the transmission

Sunday as follows: Associate Reformed Presbyterian-Rev. R. Lathan, Pastor. Services will be held in this church at 101 A. M., next Saturday, and at the Sunday service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered, on which occasion the pastor will be assisted by Rev. C. B. Betts. Sunday-school at 9 o'clock,

Methodist Episcopal-Rev. Marion Dargan, Pastor. Services at Philadelphia Church in the forenoon, the sermon to be suited to the Women's Missionary Society. Evening service in the church at Yorkville.

Church of the Good Shepherd-Episcopalusual hours, morning and evening. CAUGHT STEALING.

On Thursday of last week, a colored woman named Mary Barnhill, who lives near Clover, was detected in the act of stealing several articles in T. M. Dobson's dry goods store. She had filled two bags with goods faith. If our friends throughout the county taken from the counter, amounting to \$7.55 at regular prices, before the proprietor of the store stepped forward and told her he had witnessed the whole transaction, though he was in another part of the store at the time. Denial was useless, and at a hearing the next morning before Trial Justice Lewis, on the charge of petit larceny, she was given the can supply persons in this locality who may alternative of paying a fine of \$10 and costs, or going to jail for twenty days. The fine was paid.

ALMOST A FIRE. Between 11 and 12 o'clock last Friday night, a small wooden building belonging to he estate of H. F. Adickes, deceased, and between his late residence and corner brick store, was discovered to be on fire. The house was used by James Gadberry, colored, as a tin shop. In one corner was piled a quantity of rage, in which the fire is supposed to have originated-probably from spontaneous combustion, as there seem to be no circumstances sustaining the supposition that it was of incendiary origin. The Hook and Ladder.company was prompt in answering the alarm, and by the exertions of the members who hastened to the scene, aided by several citizens, the flames were subdued, and what might have proved a serious fire averted.

We have received from the secretary, the Premium List of the third annual fair of the Chester Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association, to be held at Chester, commencing on Tuesday, the 4th of October next and continuing four days. The annual oration before the Association will be delivered by Hon. G. B. Loring, of Massachusetts, United States Commissioner of Agriculture, on Wednesday, the 5th of October. This Agricultural Association is composed of the Counties of Lancaster, York, Fairfield and Chester, the directors for York county being Messrs. Joseph Herndon and John S. Brat-

ton. In his announcement, the President congratulates the Association on the success that has attended the previous fairs, and assures the public that arrangements for a third successful fair will be complete.

Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer. LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

CLOVER, S. C., August 20.-The rapid growth of our little town is a gratifying fact to record. There are now six stores here in active business, and two more are in the course of erection. In point of size, convenience and tasteful arrangement, one of these * last named would do credit to any up country town. The frame of a large Presbyterian church has been raised, with the prospect of the edifice being completed early in October. A church of this denomination has been organized here with a membership of eighty-

We have also a first-class school in successschool. The citizens did not come off victorious; but they propose to spell the school against an equal number of spellers to be found in any of the upper counties of South

We have also another source of enjoyment viz. : the cornet band, taught by Prof. Mcin addition to their other accomplishments.

CLOVER, S. C., August 20.-Notwithstanding the depressing effects of the dry weather and consequent short crops, Clover is still The Charleston News and Courier of Friday | fooming. Improvements are going on all ays: "The column to be erected to the mem- the time. During the present year, several

A silver cornet band has been recently organized here, and under the instruction of

Our academy is flourishing. J. A. Wilson, with efficient assistants, is doing good service, and we hope he will receive the support and resulting in a total defeat of the citizens. At the spring meeting of Bethel Presbytery.

committee was appointed to organize a church at this place, and on the 28th of July, the time appointed, the organization was effected with a membership of ninety-four.

of his line and develop the country through where they will consult with Maj. Yates, the er class of our country of credit, and render we hope his prayers were heard and that he and twelve were added to the church on profession of faith.